eations. These steps would include also the tribal areas.

Allotment of lanfl for religious purposes by the DDA

1739. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state.

(a) what are the details of the requests for allotment of land for religious purposes, pending with the Delhi Development Authority as on the 31st January, 1988;

(b) what is the date of original request and the date of formal application, in each case; and

(c) what is the number of similar requests, religion-wise, granted during the last three years and the current year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN' THE MIN STRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHEiI DALBIR SINGH): (a) and (b) The requisite information is given in the enclosed statement. [See Appendix CXLV, An-nexure No. 70]

(c) Land was allotted by the DDA in 65 cases as under:—

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1. Temple	
2. Church	7
3. Gurudwara	9
4. Mosque	7
5. Satsang Bhawan	7
6. Other Religious purposes	12
7. Dharmsala	4
TOTAL	65

Nationalisation of the sugar industry

1740. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that an official report had recently been submitted to the Prime Minister for the nationalisation of sugar industry; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and the Prime Minister's reaction thereto?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI D. L. BAITHA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

TV relay centre at Guntur

1741. SHRI R. SAMBASIVA RAO: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that Guntur district of Andhra Pradesh is not at present covered by the Vija-yawada TV relay centre; and

(b) if so, whether Government propose to set UP a new TV relay centre at Guntur?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIA-MENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) and (b) A large part of Guntur district of Andhra Pradesh (including Guntur town) is covered by the High power TV transmitter at Vijayawada. There is, therefore, no proposal to set up a new TV transmitter at Guntur for the present.

Social security scheme for rural and unorganised workers

1742. SHRI DLNKARRAO GOVIND. RAO PATIL: Will the Minister **of** LABOUR be pleased to state;

(a) whether Government propose to introduce a new social security

scheme for the rural and unorganised workers;

(b) whether Government also pro pose t_0 evolv$_{e\ a}$ floor minimum wage for workers in the construction and
- beedi industries, in consultation with the State Labour Ministers; and

(c) if so, what are th$_e$ details thereof and by when these measures are likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) Ther$_e$ are no such proposals, for the present.

(c) Doe$_6$ not arise.

Association of MP's in IRDP etc. in Andhra Pradesh

1743. SHRI R. SAMBASIVA RAO: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whethe$_c$ it is a fact that MPs belonging to all partie$_s$ are associat ed in th$_e$ implementation of *^{ne} Schemes like IRDP, NREP and KLEGP etc., in the State$_{s;}$

(b) whether Government are aware that non-ruling party MPs in the State of Andhr$_a$ Pradesh are not associated with the implementation of these schemes; and

(c) if so, what steps Government are taking to ge$_e$ that Members of Parliament of all parties are asso ciated in the implementation of these schemes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MIN'STRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI JANAR-DHAN POOJARI): (a) The Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP) and the National Rural Employment Programme (NREP) are required to be implemented through the District Rural Development Agencies (DRDAs) as pe$_r$ the guidelines of the Government of India. For Rural Landless Employment Guarantee Programme (ELEGP), the states may nominate the DRDAs for its implementation although it is open to the State t_0 nominate any other appropriate agency. Th$_e$ expenditure on the DRDAs is shared between the Govt, of India and the State$_s$ o$_n$ 50:50 basis. In Karnataka the functions of the DRDAs have been merged with Zil$_a$ Parishads. In Andhra Pradesh, the NREp is being implemented through the Zil$_a$ Parishads. As per the guidelines, every DRDA ha$_s$ a Governing Body usually under the chairmanship of the Collector of the district and with all Members °f Parliament (MPs) and Members of Legislative Assembly (MLAs) of the district as members. Since the DRDA$_S$ generally coordinate the planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the programme$_s$ i$_n$ the district, all the members of the Governing Body are associated in the scheme implemented by th$_e$ DRDAs/Zila Parishads.

(b) and (c) Whenever individual cases of lapse On the part of *the* State Governments for not following the guidelines issued fo$_r$ implementation of various programmes are brought to the notice of the Central Government, immediate action is taken so that the same get rectified. For Andhra Pradesh, a representation was received in 1986 that ^{on}^y two MLAs and one Mp were being represented at DRDA Governing Body in the State. Subsequently, as per Andhra Pradesh G.O.M.s No. 499 dated 9.10.1986 th$_e$ State Government nominated all the members of Parliament and members of Legislative Assemblies in the? district as members of the Governing Body of DRDAs.